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AT the Court at *Kenſington*, the 7th Day of *November*, 1758,

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majeſty's Order in Council, of the Fifteenth of September laſt, For paying the reſpective Bounties therein mentioned, to all Able and Ordinary Seamen, and alſo to all Able-bodied Landmen, who ſhould voluntarily enter themſelves in His Majeſty's Royal Navy; and likewiſe for paying the Rewards to Perſons diſcovering Seamen who ſhould conceal themſelves, will expire upon the Eighteenth Day of this Inſtant November; And whereas it is judged expedient for His Majeſty's Service, That the Bounties and Rewards thereby given, ſhould be continued to be paid for ſome Time longer; — His Majeſty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby Order, That the Bounties of Three Pounds for every Able Seaman, and of Thirty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, not above the Age of Fifty, nor under the Age of Twenty Years; and of Thirty Shillings for every Able-bodied Landman, not above the Age of Thirty-five, nor under the Age of Twenty Years, be continued to be paid to ſuch Seamen and Landmen reſpectively, who ſhall, on or before the Thirtieth Day of December next, enter themſelves in the Royal Navy, in the Manner directed by His Majeſty's Proclamation of the Fourth Day of January 1757: And likewiſe, That the Rewards of Two Pounds for every Able, and Twenty Shillings for every Ordinary Seaman, be continued to be paid to any Perſons who ſhall, on or before the ſaid Thirtieth Day of December next, diſcover any Seaman or Seamen who ſhall conceal themſelves, ſo as ſuch Seaman or Seamen be taken for His Majeſty's Service. Whereof all Perſons concerned are to take Notice, and govern themſelves accordingly.

W. Sharpe.

Rome, Nov. 11. A few Days ago the Pope's Frigates, St. Peter and St. Paul, ſailed from Civita Vecchia to cruiſe againſt the Barbary Corſairs. On the 4th inſtant died at Narni, Cardinal Sacripanti, Biſhop of Fraſcati: By his Deceaſe, the ſixteenth Hat is vacant in the College of Cardinals.

[Price Three-Pence.]

Leghorne, Nov. 12. This Day ſailed from hence His Britannick Majeſty's Fleet under the Command of Rear Admiral Broderick, conſiſting of the following Ships, viz. the Prince, Swifture, St. Albans, Jerſey, Guernſey, Thetis, Ambuſcade, and Lyme; and with them the Trade bound to England.

Venice, Nov. 17. On Monday laſt Monſignor Giovanni Bragadin, a noble Venetian, and Biſhop of Verona, was elected by the Senate Patriarch of Venice; upon which Occaſion there were publick Feſtivals, for three Days, at the Palace of the Family of Bragadin, with Balls, Concerts, Illuminations, Bonfires, Firing of Guns, and ſuch like publick Demonſtrations of Joy, to which the Foreign Miniſters were invited.

Florence, Nov. 18. Beſides the two Companies out of the third Battalion of Tuſcan Troops in Garriſon here, which a few Days ago was ſent to Leghorne, Orders have been ſent to the Commiſſaries of the reſpective Villages to inliſt 700 Men to compleat the Garriſon of Tuſcany.

Dreſden, Nov. 26. His Pruſſian Majeſty is in perfect Health at this Place. General Hulſen ſome Days ago took Poſſeſſion of Freyberg; and laſt Friday Lieutenant General Itzenplitz marched from thence to occupy Chemnitz. It is ſaid, that the Pruſſian Huſſars, that were ſent after Marſhal Daun's Army, puſhed no farther than Giſhubel.

Hague, Dec. 6. No News of any great Importance has been received here lately; the ſeveral Armies being retired into their reſpective Winter Quarters, except the Corps of Pruſſians, that is oppoſed to the Swedes. It is reported, that the Hereditary Prince of Brunſwick was gone from Dulmen to Paderborn, to take the Command on that Side.

Admiralty-Office, Dec. 5, 1758.

PUrſuant to an Act of Parliament paſſed in the 26th Year of His Majeſty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the Concerned, that Information hath been ſent to this Office, That the 4th of this Inſtant was drove aſhore on Deal Beach, the Ship Thomas, Thomas Lake, Maſter, bound from London to Ireland, laden with Hops and other Merchandiſe; the chiefeſt Part of the Cargo is ſaved, as is alſo the Maſter and Crew, but the Veſſel is bilged, and likely to be loſt.

J. Cleveland.

THE Letter ſigned Verax *has been received, and the Author of it is deſired to ſend that further Explanation mention'd in his Letter.*

Admiralty Office, December 4, 1758.

MY Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty having received many repeated Complaints of divers outragious Acts of Piracy committed on Board great Numbers of Ships, as well Engliſh as Neutral, ſailing in the Engliſh Channel, by the Crews of Ships or Veſſels being or pretending to be Engliſh Privateers:

Their Lordſhips therefore, in order to detect and bring to Juſtice the Perſons guilty of ſuch Piracies and Robberies, (in Violation of the Laws of Nations in general, and of this Kingdom in particular, and to the great Diſhonour thereof) are pleaſed to promiſe a Reward of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, unto or amongſt ſuch Perſon or Perſons as ſhall, within Three Months from this Time, diſcover any one or more of the Offenders guilty of any ſuch Acts of Piracy as aforeſaid, ſo as ſuch Offender or Offenders ſhall be apprehended and duly convicted thereof.

And in regard the Committing of ſuch Offences as aforeſaid are greatly encouraged by divers Perſons as Acceſſaries thereto, who knowingly aſſiſt, maintain, councel, or adviſe the Committing of ſuch Acts of Piracy, and alſo by Perſons who receive Goods ſo piratically taken, and entertain and conceal Offenders, knowing them to have committed ſuch Robberies:

Their Lordſhips therefore, in order to detect or bring to Juſtice the Perſons guilty of ſuch laſt mentioned Offences, are pleaſed to promiſe a Reward of FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS, unto or amongſt ſuch Perſon or Perſons as ſhall, within Three Months from this Time, diſcover any one or more of the Offenders guilty of any ſuch Offences laſt mentioned, ſo as ſuch Offender or Offenders ſhall be apprehended and duly convicted thereof. Which ſaid reſpective Rewards before mentioned, ſhall be paid, clear of all Deductions whatſoever, by Samuel Seddon, Eſq; Solicitor of the Admiralty, immediately after the Conviction of ſuch Offenders.

And as a further Encouragement, any of the ſaid Offenders, (other than and except the reſpective Commander or Commanders of any ſuch Piratical Ships or Veſſels) who ſhall diſcover any one or more of the ſaid Offenders, ſhall, on the Conviction of ſuch Offender or Offenders ſo diſcovered, be intitled to His Majeſty's moſt Gracious Pardon.

And their Lordſhips do alſo promiſe to grant, upon Requeſt, to every Perſon, being a Seaman, (who by making any ſuch Diſcovery or Diſcoveries as aforeſaid, ſhall be intitled to either to the Whole, or to any Part or Parts of any of the above-mentioned Rewards) an abſolute Protection, to prevent his being impreſſed into His Majeſty's Sea Service, during this preſent War with France.

J. Clevland.

Navy Office, December 1, 1758.

The principal Officers and Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy give Notice, that there is in the Hands of the Treaſurer of the Navy, Money for paying all Bills regiſtered on the Courſe of the Navy in the Month of June, 1758, in order that the Proprietors of, or ſuch Perſons as are legally empowered to receive the ſame, may bring them to this Office to be aſſigned for Payment accordingly.

The Merchants and Inſurers of London, having, at a General Meeting, had on Wedneſday the 29th Day of November 1758, come to ſeveral Reſolutions for the taking of proper Methods for the Diſcovery and Puniſhment of Perſons guilty of Piratical Practices, by plundering of Ships, or otherwiſe, and of Perſons who are Encouragers, Acceſſaries, Aiders, and Abettors thereto, who knowingly aſſiſt, or maintain, procure, command, council, or adviſe the committing of ſuch Piracies, or who receive Goods ſo piratically taken, or entertain and conceal ſuch Pirates and Robbers, knowing them to have committed ſuch Robberies, in Violation of the ſeveral Acts of Parliament made for puniſhing of ſuch Offences; which Practices not only tend greatly to the Diſhonour of this Kingdom, but are very prejudicial and injurious to the Trade and Commercee thereof: And the ſaid Merchants and Inſurers, at the ſaid General Meeting, having appointed a Committee for the carrying of the ſaid Reſolutions into Execution, The ſaid Committe do hereby give Notice, that they are ready to aſſiſt and give due Encouragement to all Perſons who ſhall impeach, make Diſcovery, and Proof againſt any Perſon or Perſons guilty of any ſuch Offences, either as Principals or as Encouragers or Acceſſaries, which Aſſiſtance and Encouragement the ſaid Committee do hereby promiſe, over and above all Benefits and Rewards offered by the Lords Commiſſioners of the Admiralty for the Diſcovery of Perſons guilty of ſuch Acts of Piracy as aforeſaid, and, if it ſhall be deſired, the Names of the Perſon or Perſons, making ſuch Diſcovery or Information, ſhall be concealed; and, for the more ready Aſſiſtance of the Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery, they are deſired to apply to Meſſ. Browne and Smith, of Auſtin Fryars, London.

Office for Sick and Wounded Seamen, and for Exchanging Priſoners of War, December 6, 1758.

The Commiſſioners for taking Care of Sick and wounded Seamen, and for Exchanging Priſoners of War, do hereby give Notice, that they will be ready on Monday the 18th inſtant, to receive ſealed Tenders, and treat with ſuch Perſons who are willing to ſupply at Briſtol and Plymouth, Ships of or near 200 Tons Burthen, which ſhall be in thoſe Ports at the Time of making the ſaid Tenders, for the tranſporting of Priſoners of War to and from France. The Places of their Deſtination, the Number of Priſoners, and all other Particulars relating to this Service, may be known by applying to the Secretary of the ſaid Office; to Mr. Evans, Agent for Priſoners of War at Briſtol; and to Mr. Tonkin, Agent for Priſoners of War at Plymouth.

Merchants Seamen's Office, Royal Exchange.

A Quarterly General Court of the Preſident and Governors for the Relief and Support of Sick, maimed, and diſabled Seamen, and of the Widows and Children of ſuch as ſhall be killed, ſlain, or drowned in the Merchants Service, will be held at this Office on Wedneſday the 27th of December Inſtant, at Eleven o'Clock.

By Order of the Preſident and Committee,
Dan. Campbell, *Secretary.*

Royal Exchange Aſſurance Office, Dec. 6, 1758.

The Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Aſſurance Company do hereby give Notice. that their Transfer Books will be ſhut from Tueſday the 19th Inſtant, to Thurſday the 18th of January next; and that the Annual General Court of the ſaid Company, appointed by their Charter, will be held at their Office on the Royal Exchange, on Wedneſday the 20th Inſtant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, and that a Dividend will be conſidered of at the ſaid Court.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majeſty Ship Defiance, who were actually on board at the taking a French Ship called the Duc de Berry, that their reſpective Shares will be paid on board the ſaid Ship at Plymouth next Week, or as ſoon after as poſſible; and that the Shares then unclaimed will be paid at Mr. Thomas Dickins's in Buſh Lane, Cannon-ſtreet, the third Wedneſday in every Month for three Years, from Eleven to Twelve o'Clock.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers, Seamen, and Marines that were actually on board His Majeſty's Sloop Diſpatch

Dispatch, in Company with the Hazard armed Cutter, that they or their lawful Attorneys will be paid their respective Shares of the Venerable and Dispatch (two French Privateers) and Bounty Money, on the said Sloop Dispatch's Arrival at Sheerness. The Recalls after the said Sloop's Payment, for three Years, at Mr. Magnus's in Crown Court Old Broad Street.

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By the KING's *Patent,*

HIS MAJESTY having been graciously pleased to grant his Royal Letters Patent, bearing Date at Westminster the 17th Day of October 1751, in the 25th Year of his Reign, unto Richard Rock, of the Parish of St. Bridget, otherwise Bride's, London, Licentiate in Medicine, for his New Compound Medicine, or Anti-Venereal Cathartick Electuary, for the true Cure of fresh Venereal Injuries, and all the lurking Relicts or Remains of old ones, which he has brought to a surprizing Degree of Perfection in the Cure of the several Stages of the Venereal Distemper, from the slightest Infection to the most inveterate Degree thereof, without breaking or impairing the Constitution, enervating the human System, or leaving any Foulness or Weakness behind: This is therefore to acquaint the Publick, for whose Use and Benefit the said Letters Patent were principally obtained, that the said most admirable Electuary is sold by him at the Golden Head and Key, Bell Savage Inn Gateway, Ludgate Hill, London, at only 6 s. and a Book of plain Instructions (by the Help of which every one may be his own Physician) given with each Pot: Where Advice is to be had, and all Debilities, Obstructions of the urinary Passages, and Gleets, are absolutely cured.

N. B. The Electuary is sold only by the Author as abovementioned. Beware of Counterfeits.

TAKEN out of a Wreck on the 22d of November, about Fifteen Leagues off Cromer, supposed to be a Portuguese Schooner, the St. Christo de Prayer, Antonio Francisco Madina, Commander, from Hamburgh, by William Pedder and John Butler, Masters of Fishing Smacks, of Greenwich, Sundry Merchant Goods, and reported by them to the King's Officers at Gravesend, before being boarded, the 28th of November, and now lying in the Care of Richard Taylor, of Greenwich, and the King's Locks.

Thursday the 7th Day of December, in the Thirty-second Year of the Reign of his Majesty King George the Second, 1758, Between William Daniel, Plaintiff, James Goddard and another, Defendants;

UPON the humole Petition of the Plaintiff this Day preferred to the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, for the Reasons therein, and in the Affidavit thereto annexed, contained: It is ordered, that the said Defendant James Goddard do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the first Day of the next Hilary Term.

TO be sold, together or in Parcels, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Cursitors Street, Two Freehold Houses, on the West Side of Lincoln's Inn Fields, in the several Occupations of Dr. Monro and John Manley, Esq; with Coach Houses and Stables belonging to the same, and three other Freehold Houses in Great Queen-street and Little Queen-street, near Lincoln's Inn Fields, in the several Occupations of John Scott, Brush-maker, William Strachan, Peruke-maker, and John Penford, Apothecary, the yearly Rents of which amount to 194 l. also one Freehold Messuage in Little Queen-street, near Lincoln's Inn Fields, now in Lease to Mr. Richard Budworth, Coach-maker, for a Term of Years which expires in 1769, with a reserved Ground Rent of 40 l. per Annum, payable during the said Term; also several Messuages near Bond Stables, Fetter Lane, held by Lease under the Bishop of Chichester, for Lives, at the yearly Rent of 52 l. 10 s. or thereabouts, subject to a yearly Rent of 2 l. 13 s. 4 d. payable Quarterly to the Bishop of Chichester, and his Successors. Particulars of which may be had at the said Master's House, and the Premises seen by applying to Mr. Herbert Croft, of the Six Clerk's Office.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Cursitor's-street, London, on Friday the 22d Day of December Instant, between the Hours of Four and Six in the Afternoon, Six Thousand Seven Hundred Pounds New South Sea Annuities in Reversion, after the Death of a Widow Gentlewoman, aged about Fifty five Years. For further Particulars enquire at the said Master's House.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Henry Montague, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on Tuesday the 23d of January next, between the Hours of Five and Seven of the Clock in the Afternoon, intire or in Parcels, The Freehold Estate of Robert Averay, Gentleman, lying in the several Parishes of Cruwys, Morchard and Winckley in the County of Devon, estimated to be of the yearly Value of 106 l. 10 s. or thereabouts, with Timber growing thereon to a considerable Value. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers aforesaid.

TO be sold, in Parcels, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Bennett, Esq, one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Cursitor's Street, London, An Estate consisting of eight Freehold Houses or Tenements, and a Stable, heretofore of William Shippey, deceased, late of William Ellgate, deceased, and now of John Ellgate, in the Parish of St. Sepulchre in the City of Norwich, of the yearly Value of 23 l. 10 s. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's House.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, The Creditors of Thomas Hodson, formerly of Endfield, but late of the Parish of St. Andrew Holborn, in the County of Middlesex, Gentleman, deceased, are to come before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery Lane, London, and prove their respective Debts, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, The Creditors of William Borrow, late of Quality Court, Chancery Lane, London, Gentleman, deceased, are to come before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, in Chancery Lane, London, and prove their respective Debts, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, The Creditors of Edward Lascelles the Younger, late of Stoke Newington in the County of Middlesex, Esq; deceased, are peremptorily to come before Peter Holford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn, Chancery Lane, London, and prove their respective Debts, on or before the 23d of January next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate and Effects of John Evans, of the County Borough of Carmarthan, Merchant, (against whom a Commission of Bankrupt hath lately been awarded) are required to pay their respective Debts unto the said John Evans, at his House in King-street, Carmarthen; or to Mr. James Hughes, Attorney, in the same Place, before the 25th of January next, otherwise they will be sued without farther Notice.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt, bearing Date at Westminster, the 27th of April 1757, was awarded and issued forth against John David Ziegel, of the City of London, and Gabriel Barbor, of the City of Exeter, Merchants and Copartners; This is to give Notice that the said Commission is, under the Great Seal of Great Britain, superseded.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankruptcy awarded and issued against John Parke, late of Abchurch Lane, London, Merchant, are desired to meet the Assignees on Tuesday next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the King's Arms Tavern in 'Change Alley, in order to assent to or dissent from the Assignees commencing or defending one or more Suit or Suits either in Law or Equity, for the recovering and getting in or settling the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, and also to compound and agree the same, and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Grace the Younger, of London, and Gustavus Hunnius and Samuel Johnston Read, of Leeds in the County of York, Merchants and Copartners, Bankrupts, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on the 11th of December Instant, at the Crown Tavern behind the Royal Exchange, at Five in the Afternoon, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing or defending any Suits at Law or in Equity, concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate, or to their agreeing, compounding or submitting to Arbitration any Matter relating to the said Estate, and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Joseph Pemberton, of Great Queen street, near Lincoln's Inn Fields, in the County of Middlesex, Vintner, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, at the Queen's Head Tavern,

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